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HB 5033: AN ACT REQUIRING SCHOOL BUSES TO BE EQUIPPED WITH SEAT SAFETY BELTS.

Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"Section 1. (Effective from passage) (a) The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, in consultation with the Commissioner of Education, shall conduct a study of the feasibility of requiring each school bus that is model year 2012 or newer to be equipped with lap/shoulder (3-point) seat safety belts. Such study shall include, but not be limited to, a consideration of safety issues and the cost to municipalities of such requirement.

(b) Not later than October 1, 2010, the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall submit a report on its findings, with any recommendations for legislation, to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to transportation, education and appropriations and the budgets of state agencies, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes."